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## City of Columbus Opens State of the Art Police Substation

On behalf of Mayor Andrew J. Ginther and Columbus Police Chief Thomas Quinlan, the Columbus Division of Police is proud to announce the opening of the Kimberley K. Jacobs Neighborhood Policing Center. The substation is located on the city's north side at 8118 Sancus Boulevard. It is replacing the former 1 Precinct substation that was built in 1960. The 12,000 square foot facility is a truly one of a kind building that will allow officers more efficient operations to better serve the community. Some of the highlights include:

- First building in the City of Columbus to meet the latest standards for a tornado shelter
- Large meeting room for community use
- Location that significantly reduces the response time of officers to calls for service
- An internet exchange zone on the property to safely buy/sell/trade online items
- An L.E.E.D designed building which meets the international standard of energy savings and environmental sustainability.

Most importantly, we want to thank the citizens of Columbus for helping us make this possible. The new police substation will be essential in servicing one of the fastest growing areas of the city.

"I hope our officers and community share the same pride I felt when stepping foot inside this great neighborhood policing center. Police, as well as the public, will benefit from its many thoughtful amenities for years to come," said Chief Quinlan.

Kimberley K. Jacobs Neighborhood Policing Center: https://youtu.be/mDN5LoO6Lf0

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